

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE EXPENDITURE TOTALING AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$220,948.00 FROM THE LAW ENFORCEMENT TRUST FUND - *FEDERAL*, TO PURCHASE THIRTEEN (13) 2009 FORD F150 XL EXTENDED CAB 4x2 VEHICLES AT A UNIT PRICE OF \$16,996.00 FROM GUS MACHADO FORD, AND WAIVING COMPETITIVE BIDDING, UPON SUCH COSTS HAVING BEEN APPROVED BY THE CHIEF OF POLICE.

WHEREAS, the City of Hialeah's emergency management plan for storm or flooding calls for the Hialeah Police Department to deploy its officers in high water vehicles; and

WHEREAS, the Hialeah Police Department's fleet is currently devoid of any high water vehicles; and

WHEREAS, these high water vehicles, which are equipped with emergency lights and sirens, will be integrated into the Hialeah Police Department's fleet to enhance the Department's operational response capabilities in these emergency situations; and

WHEREAS, the funds to cover these necessary and legitimate expenses are available in the Law Enforcement Trust Fund - *Federal*; and

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police has recommended adoption of this resolution and determined that the proposed expenditure complies with the *Guide to Equitable Sharing*; and

WHEREAS, it is not advantageous to the City to utilize the pricing of the Florida Sheriffs and State of Florida bids because the prices are much higher than those quoted by Gus Machado Ford and, therefore, the Hialeah Police Department wishes to waive competitive bidding and purchase the high water vehicles from Gus Machado Ford.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, THAT:

Section 1. The Mayor and the City Council of the City of Hialeah, Florida, approve the expenditure of an amount not to exceed \$220,948.00 from the Law Enforcement

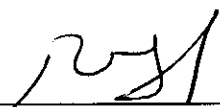
Trust Fund – *Federal*, for the purchase of thirteen (13) 2009 Ford F150 XL Extended Cab 4x2 vehicles at a unit price of \$16,996.00 from Gus Machado Ford, and waive competitive bidding, upon such costs having been approved by the Chief of Police.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 12th day of May, 2009.



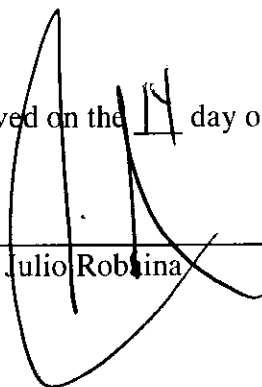
Carlos Hernandez, Council President

Attest:



Rafael E. Granado, City Clerk

Approved on the 14 day of May, 2009.



Mayor Julio Robaina

Approved as to legal sufficiency and form:

FOR 

William M. Grodnick, City Attorney

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Resolution was adopted by a 6-0 vote with Councilmembers, Caragol, Casals-Muñoz, Cue, Gonzalez, Hernandez, Yedra voting “Yes” and Councilmember Garcia-Martinez absent.